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PLS PASS FOLLOWING TO AMBASSADOR TOON C/O G. WILLIAMS

232 RIDGE ST. WINCHESTER, MASS. TELEPHONE (617) 729-3084

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FOR AMBASSADOR TOON FROM AMBASSADOR RIVERO

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SUBJ: PRESS SEMINAR ON U.S. FOREIGN POLICY

1. EMBASSY ORGANIZING WEEKEND SEMINAR ON U.S. FOREIGN POLICY  
FOR UP TO 40 OF SPAIN'S LEADING POLITICAL, INTERNATIONAL AND  
ECONOMIC JOURNALIST. SEMINAR WILL BE HELD AT RESORT HOTEL  
25 MILES FROM WEEKEND MARCH 22, 23, 24. PURPOSE IS TO  
CONVEY COMPREHENSIVE, IN-DEPTH UNDERSTANDING OF PRINCIPAL  
ASPECTS U.S. FOREIGN POLICY, WITH SPECIAL EMPHASIS ON EAST-WEST  
RELATIONS, ATLANTIC COMMUNITY RELATIONS, U.S.- SPANISH  
RELATIONS AND U.S. ECONOMIC POLICY.

2. I WOULD VERY MUCH LIKE TO INVITE YOU TO COME TO MADRID  
TO PARTICIPATE IN SEMINAR BY MAKING PRESENTATION ON EAST-WEST  
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RELATIONS. THE PRESENTATION WOULD BE APPROXIMATELY 45 MINUTES,

FOLLOWED BY ONE HOUR AND FIFTEEN MINUTE DISCUSSION, COVERING U.S. POLICY RE USSR AND EASTERN EUROPE COUNTRIES, RATIONALE FOR THAT POLICY, CURRENT STATE OF RELATIONS AND FUTURE PROSPECTS, AND IMPLICATIONS FOR EUROPE AND WORLD INCLUDING, AS APPROPRIATE, DISCUSSION OF DETENTE, AND DISARMAMENT EFFORTS, I.E. SALTS I AND II, MBFR, CSCE, ET. AND POSSIBLY MENTIONING IN BROAD CONTEXT, INITIATIVES TOWARD CHINA.

3. THE DISCUSSION ON EAST-WEST RELATIONS IS TENTATIVELY SCHEDULED FROM 4:30 TO 6:30 P.M. ON SATURDAY, MARCH 23, BUT CAN BE CHANGED TO SUNDAY MORNING TO SUIT YOUR SCHEDULE IF NECESSARY.

4. AMBASSADOR GREENWALD HAS ACCEPTED MY INVITATION TO LEAD DISCUSSION ON U.S. ECONOMIC POLICY. I HAVE ALSO INVITED AMBASSADOR IRWIN TO HEAD PANEL DISCUSSION ON ATLANTIC COMMUNITY RELATIONS, AND SINCERELY HOPE THAT YOU WILL BE ABLE TO JOIN US. YOUR PARTICIPATION WOULD FURTHER GREATLY ENHANCE THE IMPORTANCE OF THE EVENT FOR SPANIARDS AND AMERICANS ALIKE BOTH IN TERMS OF YOUR POSITION AND YOUR WELL-KNOWN EXPERTISE ON THE SUBJECT.

5. EMBASSY MADRID, THROUGH USIS, WILL COVER ALL COSTS YOUR TRAVEL AND PER DIEM.

6. I WOULD APPRECIATE YOUR ADVISING ME AS SOON AS POSSIBLE IF YOU WILL BE ABLE TO ACCEPT INVITATION AND WE CAN COUNT ON YOUR PARTICIPATION. BEST REGARDS.

RIVERO  
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JOHNSON

NOTE BY OC/T: NOT PASSED WINCHESTER, MASS.

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